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1. Prior to May 1954, there was only one old barracks installation in Leszno (P 51/V11) ~~which~~ was occupied by Polish soldiers who wore an undetected ~~color~~ color. For summer training, these troops with whom some trucks were observed went to the Biedrusko (P 53/X 27) troop training grounds.¹ The installation which included permanent brick buildings and had remained undamaged was located on the southwest side of ul. Rydzynska on the southeastern perimeter of the city. In the center of the city, the designation of the same street was ul. Stalina.
2. In May 1954, a large agricultural machine pool was located in the former barracks installation on the eastern perimeter of the city on the south side of the road to Gostyn (P 52/X 30). Apartments for the civilian population were also built there. From the center as far as the perimeter of the city, the designation of the Gostyn road was Daszynskiego. Prior to May 1954, another old and formerly Polish barracks installation which included two buildings, was located on ul. Dabrowskiego, which ran parallel with ul. Daszynskiego on the south. This installation housed a cereal plant. A military district command (W&R) was located on ul. Zwirki i Wigury in the center of the city. The former internment camp near Grune (Grunowo) (P 52/C 09), north of the city, had been removed. 1
3. Prior to early 1954, AA gun emplacements from which elevated gun barracks projected were observed from a distance of 300 to 400 meters in the area of the southern cemetery in Hindenburg (Q 51/Y 47). It was believed that these emplacements were related to the Polish troops who were located in the former Polizei Kaserne and the former Schuetzenhaus. Polish troops who wore khaki uniforms were observed at these sites. 2

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4. [] in Hindenburg said that the Polish labor troops located in the southern sector of ~~Mikulczyce~~ Mikulczyce. (Q 51/Y 48) were employed for work to a smaller degree as compared with previous observations. 25X1
5. In 1953, a modern large-scale bakery was constructed about 300 meters south of the former Polizei Kaserne on the north side of the southern section of the railroad circuit around Hindenburg. The installation included a railroad loading ramp.
1. [] Comment. The superior headquarters of this unit is undetermined. Possibly, the unit belongs to the 4th Inf Div, although other information indicates that, in the summer of 1954, only the IIId Mech Corps Breslau with the 10th and 11th Mech Divs were located at the Biedrusko training grounds. 25X1
2. [] Comment. [] as early as 1952 and 1953 an AAA unit which was equipped with 85-mm or 88-mm AA guns has been stationed at this installation. 25X1

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